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M. D. BATTLE RIVER COUNCIL MINUTES

Councillors of the Municipal District of Battle River No. 423 met in Council room, members present were Messrs. Fischer, Burton, Santee and Burrell.

Minutes of last meeting were read and on motion of Mr. Santee accepted as read.

Moved by Mr. Santee that report of Mr. Burrell on N. E. quarter 3-45-8 be accepted and that Wild Land Tax for 1928 be cancelled. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burrell that orders of Martin O'Connor for \$101.00, Eugene Villeneuve for \$7.00 and Albert Dubois for \$7.00 be accepted and Secretary be authorized to pay to parties to whom orders are made payable. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Santee that Council offer Mr. J. H. Mabey \$40.00 per acre for two acres of land taken for roads from S. E. 12-45-7. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Santee that Mr. Fischer be appointed a delegate, to attend the Municipal Districts convention on November 21-22-23. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that Mr. Santee be appointed a delegate to attend the Municipal Districts convention on November 21-22-23. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burrell that Secretary be authorized to pay membership fee of \$20.00 to Municipal Districts convention. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burton that delegates be allowed \$35.00 each for expenses to convention. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Burrell that the following accounts be passed and paid:
Irma Hardware—fence wire \$19.75
Irma Hardware—Repairs95
E. Peterson—Gravel 6.50
Irma Machine Shop—Repairs 6.50
Irma Motors—Lights 1.50
Irma Times—Papers 24.00

Moved by Mr. Santee that the following time sheets be passed:

J. H. Lennett	\$336.45
H. E. Mabey	171.75
H. E. Mabey	36.00
Geo. Rubenok	95.50
Geo. Rubenok	430.00
Geo. Rubenok	173.75
Geo. Rubenok	274.50
W. Myers	156.75
P. J. Harvey	\$336.58
P. J. Harvey	405.54
P. J. Harvey	219.69
P. J. Harvey	97.70
P. J. Harvey	398.13
P. J. Harvey	425.79
P. J. Harvey	52.07

Moved by Mr. Burton that the Reeve and Treasurer shall be authorized to borrow from the Bank of Montreal the sum of \$2,000 for Municipal purposes. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Santee that Mr. Burton be re-appointed Deputy Reeve for the next six months. Cd.

Moved by Mr. Santee that Council adjourn. Cd.

BONES OF PREHISTORIC ANIMAL FOUND IN KINSELLA FARM YARD

Mr. and Mrs. Ruzicka and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. Ruzicka's cousin, Mrs. Hajek and family at Kinsella. While there Mr. Ruzicka discovered a huge petrified bone in the farm yard at the Hajek home, and was permitted to bring same to Killam, where it is now on view at Mr. Ruzicka's office. The bone has every appearance of being a rib of some prehistoric vertebrate mammal. The bone in question was found near the gravel pit along the C. N. R. a few miles west of Kinsella. The bone measures 8 feet and 3 inches in length and weighs 22 pounds.—Killam News.

DEATH OF C. L. SHAFER

Word reached Irma lately that Mr. C. L. Shafer, who formerly lived about four miles north of Irma had passed away at his home in Hamilton, Ontario. The deceased has been in poor health for some time and leaves his wife and one son to mourn his death. Mrs. Shafer is a sister of Mr. T. W. Shaw of Irma and while in the Irma district the Shafers made a host of friends who are sorry to hear of his death.

The Irma Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. G. A. Tripp next Thursday afternoon. All ladies are invited.

CHURCH NOTICES AND ACTIVITIES

CHURCH NOTICES

Sunday, September 23rd, 1928
Services Sunny Brae—11 A. M.
Alma Mater—3 P. M.
Irma—8 P. M.

The Rebecca and I. O. O. F. will parade for divine worship at 8 P. M. Irma. Beginning Sunday October 7th the service will be at 7.30 instead of 8 P. M.

CHURCH SCHOOL 11 A. M.
Sept. 23rd—Temperance Sunday.
Sept. 30th—Rally Sunday.
Oct. 7th—Missionary.

A special program each Sunday. It is expected that a photograph will be taken of the School next Sunday, weather permitting.

The executive meeting last Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Locke was well attended. Matters of interest to the School were discussed. September 30th the School orchestra will assist with the music. There will also be a Promotion exercise. All parents and friends are cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Shaw was appointed teacher of the C. G. I. T. class and Mrs. Reeds, teacher of the Junior Class.

"Your seat has been dusted,
Your song books in place,
And you will be trusted
To fill up your space."

ANGLICAN CHURCH

It is intended to hold an Anglican Church Service in Irma once a fortnight beginning on Sunday, September 30th.

The services will be held at the Masonic Hall at 11 A. M.
A. M. Trendell, Vicar, Wainwright.

THRESHERS BUSY ALL OVER ALBERTA

Telegraphic reports received by the Department of Agriculture, show harvesting operations proceeding satisfactorily over the whole of the Province. A general rain on September 7th, accompanied by light snow in some districts, delayed work for two or three days. Other than this, weather conditions have been ideal. The cutting of wheat is well advanced, but in some scattered districts from 15 to 20 per cent is still standing. The cutting of coarse grains is proceeding rapidly and all harvesting should be completed within a week if the good weather continues.

Threshing is under way in most places with approximately 7,000 machines at work. A large number of Combines and Swathers have been used and reports indicate that they have worked satisfactorily.

Frost during the third week of August and a heavy frost on the 7th of September have caused considerable damage to all except the early crops, but on the whole the grade should be somewhat better than last year's crop especially in view of the fact that the grain is dry and is grading straight.

Reports from the Peace River state that threshing is well advanced. The crop in this district is somewhat lighter than last year, especially north of the Peace River. A number of points report that the yield of wheat is running from 30 to 40 bushels per acre. The average for the province, however, will likely be about 25 bushels per acre. The estimated acreage in wheat is 670,000 acres. This will bring the wheat crop of the present year practically up to last year's total.

AVONDALE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Chiassoh, Wilfred and Edgar, of Strathmore, Alberta, and Mary Lauder of Irma visited over Sunday at J. U. Allens.

Miss Olive Rush spent the week end with Mrs. A. Harper.

Mrs. Ballentyne, Jack and Helen motored to Edmonton on Saturday. Miss Helen is entering the Girls boarding school to take up last year's high.

Avondale U. P. W. A. met with several ladies on Saturday 15th. Several ladies were busy threshing so the attendance was not as large as usual. Those present thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon.

WHEAT POOL NOTES FOR THIS WEEK

The new Alberta Wheat Pool terminal will be taken over by the Alberta Pool Elevators organization some time during the latter part of this month. The new terminal which has a capacity of 2 1/2 million bushels, is the largest and most modern elevator on the coast. There will be no ceremony in connection with the opening of this new structure.

New wheat samples coming in to the Wheat Pool offices show a higher quality than last year's wheat. Protein content is ranging considerably higher.

The Alberta Wheat Pool is paying farm storage this year. One cent a bushel will be paid on wheat kept until December 15th, and an additional one cent for wheat delivered after January 15th. Two cents per bushel is the maximum farm storage allowed.

The total handlings for the 160 Alberta Wheat Pool Elevators last year was 27,350,000 bushels. This year the Pool has 300 elevators. To participate in the Pool Elevators excess profits Pool members must deliver their grain to Pool houses or ship direct to Pool terminals and send bill of lading to the Pool Elevator head office.

ALBERTA POOL ELEVATORS EARN MILLION DOLLARS

The Alberta Pool Elevators announced today the distribution of approximately one million dollars excess earnings from last year's operations. This sum will be distributed to Pool members, who patronized their own facilities and on the following basis:
2c per bushel for wheat shipped over the platform to Pool terminals.
3 1/2c per bushel on wheat special binned in Pool Elevators.
4c per bushel on wheat delivered to Pool elevators on the cash ticket basis.
Cheques covering the distribution will be in the mail in the course of a week or ten days.

This sum is available from excess earnings of the Pool elevator system, which included the operation of the country and terminal elevators after 6 per cent interest had been provided for on Elevator Reserve deductions; the provision of 5 per cent for depreciation; the payment of all operation expenses and the setting up of an allowance for certain contingencies.

An idea of the benefit of the Pool elevator system may be obtained from the following figures:

Pool members who special binned their grain in Pool elevators paid 2 1/2c a bushel handling charges on delivery of their grain and will now have 3 1/2c a bushel returned to them. Pool members who loaded grain over the loading platform and consigned it to the Pool and its terminals paid 3-4c and will have 2c a bushel returned to them.

Pool members who disposed of their grain by the cash ticket method paid an average of 4 1/2c a bushel and will have 4c returned to them, but they had the advantage of an immediate payment and guaranteed grades.

During the present crop year the directors of the Pool have arranged to pay farm storage of 1c a bushel for wheat delivered after December 15th, and an additional 1c a bushel for wheat delivered after January 15th, in order that an inducement may be offered to members to hold their grain over for the winter. The idea is to permit Pool elevators to handle a larger volume of Pool grain, thus extending the benefit over a greater portion of the membership. It should be clearly understood that the maximum amount payable for farm storage will be 2c a bushel.

BUTCHER BUSINESS SOLD

Mr. L. C. Hatch, has sold his butcher shop to Mr. A. E. Foxwell, of Chauvin and intends taking a good holiday as soon as Mr. Foxwell, can arrange his Chauvin business so he can take over his new shop. Mr. Hatch, during his residence in Irma has conducted one of the best butcher shops between Edmonton and Saskatoon and many of his friends in the Irma district will be sorry to see him leave Irma.

PUBLISHERS VISIT SOUTHERN ALTA.

The weekly newspaper editors of the province held their annual convention at Lethbridge last Thursday and Friday. There was a good representation from every part of the province, and a good business and social program had been arranged. From Thursday morning when the convention opened with an address of welcome by Mayor Banerman until Friday afternoon closing with an address by Senator W. A. B. Bannan, and the reports of the resolutions committee, there was not a dull moment.

Among the features of the convention was an address by Dr. R. C. Wallace, the new president of the Alberta university. Dr. Wallace outlined his policies and aims as head of the Alberta university, stating that the university was the servant of all the people of the province and not only a section of it. While Alberta was primarily an agricultural province, said Dr. Wallace, the development of the secondary industries that necessarily are linked up with agriculture and resources such as are found so abundantly in Alberta, is just as important. Dr. Wallace is a man of the people, a young man, and his aims are not only visionary but practical.

The publishers were taken for a drive through the Lethbridge district by members of the Board of Trade, and also made a trip by motor to Raynora and were taken through the sugar beet factory located there. The manufacture of sugar from beets is an intricate process and entails infinite care and attention in order to bring out the real quality of sugar from the beets. Experienced guides told of each step in the manufacture of sugar and it required over an hour to go through the immense plant. The plant was being overhauled for the fall run which the guide estimated would be about forty five days. For the remainder of the year the plant was practically idle. Sugar beets were worth from \$8.00 to \$15.00 per ton, and it was not uncommon to raise from ten to fifteen tons to the acre. Sugar beets are contorted by the acre. They are planted in rows and require considerable attention, but those who give them the proper attention are generally rewarded handsomely for their work. Housewives should remember that good sugar is made in Alberta.

Southern Alberta, especially that stretch from Calgary to Lethbridge, has had a good crop of wheat this year. Acres and acres as far as the eye can see, the stalks are standing ready for the thresher, or where the combines are used, the grain lies in long rows, cut by the swathers, drying out, getting prepared for the combines. These machines are rapidly gaining in use in the southern part of the province.

Lethbridge itself is a city of 12,000, that is a monument to the foresight and optimism of those who founded it and made their homes there. Lethbridge can well be termed the park city of Alberta. Here on the bald prairie, Lethbridge has blossomed like a rose in the heart of the city are the Galt Gardens, provision for which was made by Mr. Galt, the first mayor of Lethbridge. These gardens, and the artificial lake where swimming and boating and camping may be enjoyed are the pride of southern Alberta. We have heard of southern Alberta optimism and enterprise, and to see what has been accomplished there, hears out all reports. The rows upon rows of fine trees, not only in the towns, but out on the farms, is something that southern Alberta can rightfully boast of, and with a term of good years showing up over the horizon, this part of Alberta is bound to come back and reap the reward due it. We would not be surprised to see a boom.

Sir Gilbert Parker has said that Canada is a land of magnificent distances, and in saying this he must have had in mind southern Alberta. The publishers, especially from the northern part, came away with a better feeling for and a better idea of the southern part, and know the province a little better. Following out this policy of "Seeing Alberta First" the executive are planning to hold their next convention in the Peace River country.

F. Turnbull, of Red Deer, was re-elected president and H. G. McCrea of Hanna, secretary-treasurer.



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MORTGAGE SALE OF
VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY
Under and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by the Land Titles Act, under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the office of William Masson in the Village of Irma, in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday the 29th day of September, 1928, at the hour of 2.00 o'clock in the afternoon, the following property, namely:

South Half of Section Eighteen (18), in the Township Forty-seven (47), in Range Nine (9), West of the Fourth Meridian, in the Province of Alberta, containing by admeasurement 321 acres more or less, according to Dominion Government Survey, excepting thereout all mines and minerals.

Terms of sale to be 20 per cent cash at the time of the sale, and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of the sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserve bid and free from all encumbrances, save Mortgage for \$910.40 and accrued interest at 9 per cent from the 1st day of October, 1927, in favor of The Northern Trusts Company, Head Office, Winnipeg, Manitoba, and taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property is situated about 2 miles West, 9 miles north of the Village of Irma, Alberta. The land is four miles from a school, the soil is a clay loam with clay subsoil, with 45 acres under cultivation. The land is all fenced. The land is situated in an excellent mixed farming district.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply to C. G. Purvis, Barrister, Viking.

Dated at Viking, Alberta, this 29th day of August, A. D. 1928.
C. G. Purvis, Vendor's Solicitor.
A. T. Kinnaird, Dep. Registrar.

Kiefer's Theatre

--- Irma ---

Wed., Sept. 26th.

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NEW STOOKER

A SUCCESS

"I was surprised at the perfect manner in which the machine worked in the field," declared Dent Parrett, of Springfield, Ohio, who is here to witness the trials of the Boychuck Stooker on farms in the vicinity of Edmonton. "There is no question that the machine is a success, and with a few minor adjustments, which can readily be made when the machine is being manufactured, it will be the most perfect stooker that I have seen."

Mr. Parrett is a member of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers, and also of the Society of Automotive Engineers. "The stooker at present is throwing off a shock that is firmly planted in the stubble; well braced, and allowing for plenty of ventilation and also for shedding water," continued Mr. Parrett.

The tests to date have been most successful, and I predict that the machine will be in general use within a very short space of time.—Edmonton Journal.

Master Mason
CUT PLUG
SMOKING TOBACCO
IN PACKAGES AND 1/2 LB. TINS
A mixture of very fragrant and mild tobaccos

A Real Menace

Summer is on the wane. The nights will soon be nippy and chill, and if we have not been careful to stock up on our bank of health with a little surplus of energy during the long sunny days, we may be disgusted to find ourselves with a developing common cold.

So declares the Canadian Red Cross magazine in discussing what it characterizes as a real menace in this country, Coryza is the official name of the common cold, but the name is not very indicative of the nastiness of the disease at first blush. Coryza is a real menace. There is no other affliction that quite so universally causes discomfort or so great a loss of time to workman, business man, and school child.

A lowering of vitality means a slow-down in usefulness or production, and time lost in our busy age is a money loss somewhere, or somehow, to someone. Remembering, however, that a nation's health is a nation's wealth, we'll come to think in dollars.

The real menace of a cold is its possible bad after-effect on the individual. As it is caused by varieties of bacteria very closely allied to those responsible for the pneumonias, for bronchitis, laryngitis, and possibly catarrh, it often leaves in its wake damages that are permanent.

When we speak of "catching" cold, we speak correctly, if by "catching" we mean getting it from the other fellow. About ninety per cent. of our colds come from him.

Very rarely one may develop his own cold. For these germs probably are ever-present in the nose and throat and will multiply and thrive should the vitality of the host be sufficiently lowered to furnish a good culture ground for their growth.

This may be effectively accomplished by avoiding fresh air and sunshine, by loss of sleep, by over-fatigue, or by living in over-heated rooms. Insufficient, improper, or excessive food or clothing assists greatly.

But for the vast majority of our colds, we may blame close contact with our neighbor who coughs, sneezes, and spits, and who does his handkerchief to saturation and then greets us with a friendly handshake.

Ignorance of man-made laws excuses no one; ignorance or disregard of the laws of health eventually spares no one. The person with a bad cold should be regarded as having a dangerous communicable disease, and we should know enough, and our children should be taught, to avoid him. Even among people who realize this, knowledge generally outstrips practice, and on and on goes the cold.

The trouble is that the vast majority of people do not regard the common cold seriously enough. If they, or their dear ones, contract tuberculosis, or are stricken down with pneumonia, they are seriously alarmed, but they overlook the fact that the common cold may be but the forerunner of these and other dread diseases. "Oh, it's only a cold," they indifferently say with a shrug of the shoulders, ignorant or careless of the fact that the cold will quickly seize upon the weakest spot in the human body, whether it be the throat, the nose, the lungs, the heart, the kidneys, or elsewhere, and when at last realization comes that there is something seriously wrong it frequently is everlastingly too late.

"It is the little things in life that are causing all the strife," is an old adage. It is also what we ignorantly regard as the little things that are responsible for most of the ills from which mankind suffers. Make no mistake about it, the common cold is no little thing although we may look upon it as such. Get after it the moment its first symptoms make their appearance. Better still, exercise all those precautions necessary to prevent taking a cold in the first instance.

Finally, if you can't or won't dodge the common cold, then at least don't make it necessary for your neighbor to dodge yours.

Rust Resistant Wheat

Within three years, New Variety Should Be Available, Which Will Grade As High As The Best.

Within three years Western Canada should have a rust-resistant wheat which will grade as high as the varieties now being grown, according to L. H. Newman, Dominion cerealist, who is spending a few weeks in the West, inspecting the work of the Dominion Rust Research Laboratory at the Manitoba Agricultural College and the various Dominion experimental farms in the West. He will also visit farms where rust-resistant grains are being produced for experimental purposes.

Must Be Inspected

Private Planes Must Be Tested For Air Worthiness.

Hereafter privately owned aircraft in Canada will be subject to the same inspection for air worthiness as commercial planes. Announcement of an order-in-council to this effect was made. The increase in the number of private aircraft and their presence on public aerodromes have rendered the inspections of all machines advisable. It is stated, hitherto only commercial planes have been subject to tests for fitness for the air.

Regina Population Increases

A directory census of Regina, capital of Saskatchewan, shows a population of 55,000, an increase of 4,000 in twelve months. A similar census shows the population of Saskatoon to have increased 5,000 during the past year. It is now placed at 45,000.



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Soap and Ointment. Regular use of the Soap, assisted by the Ointment as needed, will keep the complexion fresh, clear and youthful and the hair lustrous and healthy. Cuticura Talcum is fragrant, cooling and refreshing, an ideal toilet powder.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address Canadian Depot, "The Cuticura Sales Co., Montreal, P.Q." Price, Soap 25c. Ointment 50c. and 25c. Talcum 25c. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

New Phone Service

Inauguration Of All-Canadian Service Between Winnipeg and Montreal

Inaugurating the all-Canadian telephone service between Winnipeg, Toronto and Montreal, via Port Arthur and Fort William, officials of the Bell Telephone Co., the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Manitoba Government spoke to one another across 1,605 miles of copper wire recently. The new line between Winnipeg and Montreal has nine repeated amplifying stations. Its total weight is 350 tons.

A TIRED-OUT FEELING

Is a Sure Sign That the Blood Is Thin and Watery

I am glad to have an opportunity of testifying to the benefits I derived from the use of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills," writes Mrs. Lawrence Kennedy, St. Joseph, N.H. She further says: "Some years ago I was working as a stenographer, and became badly run-down. I always had a tired-out feeling, had no appetite and suffered terribly from backache. Almost every month I had to remain from the office for a day or two. I decided to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and I have reason to be glad that I followed this advice. Before I had been taking the pills very long I began to feel much better. Continuing their use my strength came back, I regained my appetite and the terrible backache from which I had suffered disappeared. I have now married some years ago and have two fine healthy children, a girl and a boy, and am in the best of health. All this I owe to Dr. Williams' famous Pink Pills, and I trust that these few lines may help some other weak, run-down person. All weak, run-down people who will give this blood-building tonic a fair trial will find through its use new health and strength. You can get the pills from any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box from 'The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.'

Demand For Canadian Wheat

Believe That Demand From Orient Will Continue To Increase

Speaking at Shaunavon, Saskatchewan, the other day, A. F. Sprule, director of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool expressed the belief that the Orient's demands for Canadian wheat, which last year were greater than those of any three previous years, would continue to increase. He mentioned incidentally that the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool now has 92 country elevators and terminal elevators of 26,000,000 bushels capacity, while it is also building another elevator of 6,000,000 capacity.

Nights Of Agony come in the train of asthma. The victim cannot lie down, and sleep is driven from his brain. What grateful relief is the immediate effect of Dr. J. C. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy. It banishes the frightful conditions, clears the passages, and enables the sufferer to again sleep as soundly and restfully as a child. Insist on the genuine at your nearby druggist.

Dog Fish Oil

New Industry Is Getting Under Way In British Columbia

The vicious dog fish of the Pacific Coast has at length found his niche in the scheme of economic usefulness, judging by a new industry getting under way at Vancouver. Dog fish oil is the base of a preparation for keeping away mosquitoes, black flies and other insect pests which molest man and beast alike. Several barrels a day of dog fish oil are being used in the manufacture of the preparation.

Miller's Worm Powders prove their value. They do not cause any violent disturbances in the stomach, any pain or griping, but do their work quietly and painlessly, so that the destruction of the worms is imperceptible. Yet they are thorough, and from the first dose there is improvement in the condition of the sufferer and a cessation of manifestations of internal trouble.

To Reconstruct Rolling Mills

Manitoba Rolling Mills To Operate Plant In Medicine Hat

"The Medicine Hat City Council has received word from the Manitoba Rolling Mills Company, Winnipeg, that plans are in preparation for the reconstruction of the rolling mills in Medicine Hat, entailing the installation of an open hearth furnace and that the company is considering the use of electricity for the operation of the plant in preference to steam.

Parks Attract Foreign Tourists

Under the policy of development and publicity being carried out by the Dominion Government, the national parks are not only rendering a wider service each year to Canadians themselves, but they are adding to the knowledge of Canada abroad and attracting to the Dominion thousands of visitors from other countries in every part of the globe.

Blue Ribbon Tea
Blue Ribbon Coffee
Blue Ribbon Baking Powder

Three Aids to Good Meals
Always Reliable — Sold by all Grocers

The Family Rolling Stock

Resident Of Vancouver Makes A Most Interesting Discovery

Even the small family in moderate circumstances of today carries an amazing amount of rolling stock, compared with the family of a generation ago. J. Butterfield, a writer of the Vancouver Province, makes the astonishing discovery that in one modern family there exists under one management one automobile, two bicycles, one express wagon, four roller skates, two scooters, a kiddie car and a baby carriage. Then there is the lawn mower, retained exclusively for one member of the family. Forty years ago a similar household contained two items of rolling stock, a baby carriage and a collection of hoops. "Is there a hoop in all Vancouver now?" asks Mr. Butterfield—Regina Leader.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

SCRAMBLED EGGS

- 1 egg
- 1 cup milk
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 teaspoon butter
- 1 tablespoon butter

Mix slightly beaten egg with milk and seasonings. Melt butter, pour in egg mixture and cook over a low fire. Use asbestos mat. If the fire is too hot the liquid will separate. Keep stirring with a spoon until mixture is thickened. Remove before it becomes solid and serve at once.

HOME-MADE CAKE FLOUR

To use ordinary flour in a cake recipe, from each cup of sifted flour remove 2 tablespoons of flour and replace with 2 tablespoons of cornstarch; sift twice.

STEAMED CHEESE SOUFFLE

- 2 tablespoons butter
- 3 tablespoons flour
- 1/2 cup milk
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 Speck Cayenne
- 1/2 cup grated cheese
- 2 egg yolks
- 1 egg whites

Make cream sauce of first five ingredients. Add cheese, remove from fire, add yolks, cut and fold in the whites beaten stiff and dry. Put into the well-buttered top of a double boiler, cover, and cook at a low temperature until firm.

A Power Of Its Own.—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil has a subtle power of its own. All who have used it know this and keep it by them as the most valuable liniment available. Its uses are innumerable. For many years it has been prized as the leading liniment for man and beast.

An Important Industry

The pulp and paper industry is the most important manufacturing industry in Canada; heading the lists in 1926 for gross and net value of manufactured products as well as for distribution of wages and salaries. In total capital invested the industry is second only to electric light and power plants and in total number of employees it is second only to saw-mills.

Minard's Liniment cleanses cuts, etc.

Condensed Milk Production

Within recent years there has been a large increase in the production of condensed milk. The first milk condensing plant was established at Turo, Nova Scotia, in 1883, and there are now in Canada 26 plants for the manufacture of condensed and evaporated milk and milk powder.

Antiseptic

If you have a cut apply Minard's Liniment immediately. Cleanses, disinfects, heals.



Experiment In Immigration

Farmers Of Western Canada Can Assist By Providing Winter Work For British Miners

An experiment in colonization on a scale never before attempted is now in progress in Canada. Ten thousand men from the mining districts of England, driven almost to desperation by an attempt to maintain themselves and their families upon the dole, have come to Canada to help with the harvest and to start life anew if the opportunity to work after the harvest is in, is afforded them. It is an experiment in which the British and Canadian Governments have co-operated and in which the railway companies and steamship lines are also assisting. And while the need for harvest help has provided the primary reason for making the attempt, the real purpose in view is to settle, once and for all, that much-disputed problem of whether or not the British-born man is any longer a desirable settler for the west.

No one can estimate how far-reaching may be the effect of the success or failure of this experiment. Success may retard the course of British immigration to Canada for years. Failure may further the belief preached in many quarters in the Old Land, that Canada does not want the British-born. Failure may produce a general reaction which will injure Canadian prestige and Canadian credit. Success, on the other hand, will effectively silence the criticism of Canada's colonization policy. Success will give new hope and fresh endeavor to thousands of Britishers who unquestionably are desirable citizens for Canada, but who have been holding back because they believe they are not wanted here, or because they do not believe there exists in Canada the opportunities which are advertised. Success will enhance Canadian prestige in Great Britain and improve Canadian credit.

Speaking in Winnipeg early in August, Mr. Ramsey MacDonald, former Premier of Great Britain, pleaded for a warm welcome for these men. Such a welcome would, he said, prove whether or not Canadians are genuine in their protestations that they are not discriminating against the British-born immigrant. These 10,000 harvesters have now arrived. Their welcome has been a warm one. The provincial governments, the railways and civic authorities have co-operated in making them feel at home. Work was found for all of them as quickly as they reached Winnipeg, and all of them are now drawing wages for the first time in years.

But to welcome them is not sufficient. The harvest cannot continue when winter sets in. Either work has to be found for these 10,000 men during the winter months or they must be sent back to England to spread stories of Canadian ingratitude and the lack of opportunity in this country. All of these men are willing and able to work. They will take any job that will net them sufficient to keep alive during the winter months. In the spring it will be easy to place them on the farms or in other forms of employment. But the winter months will tell the story of success or failure.

In providing work for these men during the winter months the farmers of Western Canada can assist more than any other agency. For the expenditure of a very few dollars during the winter months the farmer will be enabled to employ one or more of these men. It is true many of them will be unskilled labor and by the time spring rolls around the man will probably have learned enough to prove of considerable value to his employer in the plowing and seeding of the fields.

Such a system does not in the least smack of charity. It is sound business practice. For the investment of a few dollars per month the farmer will have help during the winter and, with the coming of spring he will not have to face the great problem of seeking in a highly competitive market for labor. That which he will pay out during the winter months

will be saved by reason of the fact that it will not be necessary for him, in the spring, to engage new help at high wages.

The governments and the railroad companies are spending tens of thousands of dollars to bring this experiment to a successful issue. It is to be hoped that the farmers and other employers of labor will also lend their aid in an issue which is distinctly national in all of its characteristics.

French Text Books

New Series Approved For Use In Saskatchewan Schools

An order-in-council has been passed approving the adoption of a series of French text-books for use in Saskatchewan schools. The series includes five readers and three language instruction text-books which have been under consideration by the department of education and are now favorably reported upon. All the text-books were submitted to the educational council of Saskatchewan for discussion and report in accordance with the provisions of the Saskatchewan school act.

Each of the series adopted is published by the Librairie Armand Colin of Paris, France. The series was selected out of a number examined by the department of education.

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Banff An All-Year Round Resort

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SUMMER COMPLAINT

Nearly Lost Her Little Girl

Mrs. Theodore Rivett, Anthony, Ont., writes:—"Last Fall I nearly lost my little girl as she was suffering terribly from summer complaint. She became very thin and weak; had no appetite, and could hardly walk across the room without falling down. At last my mother advised me to get a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Kidney and Bladder Pills."

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W. N. U. 1749

Casein Made From Skimmed Milk Can Be Profitably Used For Manufacture Of Many Articles

The products of Canada's dairy factories include besides butter and cheese, ice cream, evaporated and condensed milk, milk powder, etc., an item seldom heard of, called casein. Of the three thousand odd dairy factories in the Dominion a more hand-made manufacture this substance, and yet there is a large, nearby market in the United States, which in 1923, imported 26,000,000 pounds mostly from Argentina. Canada's exports to the United States last year amounted to only 287,000 pounds. Canadian dairy factories can produce casein of high quality and there is no particular difficulty in manufacture. One of the chief obstacles to a large export trade, according to the Natural Resources Intelligence Service of the Department of the Interior, is that Canadian manufacturers of casein have not yet seen their way clear to guarantee deliveries in the quantities desired.

Casein is interesting because it represents the recovery of a by-product in dairy factories, because Canada imports considerable quantities and has export opportunities, and because it has a most fascinating list of uses in industry and in the arts. Casein is generally manufactured from skimmed milk. Of course skimmed milk has other and important uses as in the production of skim milk powder, condensed skim milk, skim milk cheese and for feeding livestock. The use of skimmed milk for the manufacture of casein is mainly advocated when circumstances are such that it cannot be put to more profitable use. It is known that large quantities of skimmed milk are going to waste in many dairy factories and if this waste could be converted into casein it would represent a step in the efficient utilization of raw materials and be of benefit to Canadian industry and trade.

Casein is generally prepared from sweet skimmed milk. It is the curd separated by the addition of rennet or of an acid and then dried and pressed. Its uses are legion, though in Canada at present it is principally used in the coating and sizing of paper and also in the manufacture of cold water paints and of special glues for furniture and veneer work. In Europe, however, casein is further converted into a plastic or hardened substance resembling horn and which can be worked into a countless number of useful articles of commerce. There is no manufacture of casein plastics in Canada. If there was we would find that skimmed milk was being used for the manufacture of fountain pens, radio parts, electric fittings, cigar and cigarette holders, chessmen, dominoes and dice, brushes for hair and clothes brushes, comb, door knobs, and handles for umbrellas and parasols, piano keys, buttons, beads, and brooches and other inexpensive jewellery and ornaments. These are only a very few of the items which can be made from casein plastic which is a non-inflammable and highly elastic substance which can be sawn, drilled, turned, glued and moulded into any shape desired. It is an inexpensive substitute for many natural materials, often rare and costly, such as Chinese jade, lapis lazuli, ivory, ebony, amber, tortoise shell and coral. Many ingenious effects can be produced with casein plastic as it can be produced perfectly transparent or dyed in a variety of single and marmoreo colors.

The considerable quantities of casein still imported into Canada, the increasing exports and possibilities of establishing a really large export market, the opportunities for increasing the output of casein goods, casein paints, etc., as well as in manufacturing casein plastic products, all points to an excellent outlook for the manufacture of more casein in Canada.



"The judge said, if you surrender promptly to your bail, it will be in your favor."
"And shall you do so?"
"Certainly, I stole his watch so that I could be punctual." Lustige Kolner Zeitung, Cologne.

W. N. U. 1749

Farm Well Water

Only 34 Per Cent Of Wells Tested Were Found To Contain Pure Water

Of the samples of water from farmers' wells analyzed last year by the Experimental Farm Division of Chemistry, 34 per cent were pure and wholesome, 18 per cent suspicious and probably dangerous, 24 per cent seriously polluted, and 24 per cent saline.

Copies of the report of this division may be had on application to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. The report calls attention to the conditions regarding drinking water in villages, and the danger of pollution. A minimum safe distance from a possible contaminating source at which to locate a well is given to be about 150 feet. The report contains much valuable information on soils, fertilizers, silage, and many other lines of investigation.

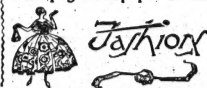
The Balance Of Nature

Flowers Depend For Pollination On Visits Of Insects

An important instance of the balance of Nature is involved in the fact that most flowers are dependent for pollination on the visits of appropriate insects. If certain insects fail to visit them the crop of seeds falls; if they keep their appointment the crop succeeds.

These visits depend somewhat on the weather, but sometimes disastrous results occur through the depletion of these friends of the flowers. Several hundreds of flower species, too, depend not upon insects, but upon the visits of honeybees, hummingbirds, and sunbirds, and if these are killed or driven away it is a disaster for the plants. There is no doubt that the keeping of bees on fruit farms and in orchards, increases the chances of the fruit trees.

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Portage Industrial Exhibition, July 9-11: 1st in roadster class; 1st in single delivery class; 2nd in heavy harness class; 2nd in best harness horse class. In these events he beat a horse which cost over \$2,000.

Saskatoon: 1st, best equipped horse; 2nd, light delivery; 2nd, heavy delivery; 3rd, best road horse; 4th, heavy harness horse.

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PASSING OF PROMINENT JURIST



One of Canada's outstanding jurists, and a prominent figure in the political field, Mr. Justice Ernest Roy, judge of the superior court, died suddenly, recently at St. Michael, Bellechasse, where he was spending his vacation, in his 57th year. He has travelled extensively in Canada, and his passing will be much regretted by friends throughout the Dominion.

Have Wonderful Memory

Thinking Power Of Elephant Is Almost Human

The almost human intelligence of elephants has often been narrated, and the following instance adds to one's admiration of the thinking power of these mighty creatures.

There was an elephant in the Zoo some while ago, says an article in the Sunday Chronicle, which had a difference with his keeper. This big chap formed a great attachment to a lady elephant in the spring of the year and had to be fastened up for a day or so until he became more amenable to reason.

Of course, these little affairs blow over and, within a few days, I am certain, says the writer, that old Bundy was thinking far more about biscuits and buns than he was about the lady who had filled his thoughts a few days before.

Bundy collected his biscuits as usual, but studiously avoided the coin given him which was his keeper's perquisite. When at last a persistent visitor insisted upon putting a copper into his trunk, he deliberately handed the copper to the keeper of another elephant who was passing him at that moment.

Never again did Bundy give his keeper a penny. He had quite got over his love affair, but he never forgot that it was the keeper who frustrated him—and at least I suppose so—he made him pay for it.

To Reconstruct China

The London Daily Express says that a syndicate of manufacturers, with interlocking interests in almost every phase of British industry and trade, has been formed to reconstruct parts of the war-ravaged areas of China. Contracts about to be signed between the syndicate and the Chinese nationalist government, will involve a total capital of \$15,000,000, the newspaper says.

Many a fellow who's a big noise at the office is only a little squeak at home.

Men still die with their boots on, but usually one boot is on the accelerator.

A CONSISTENT WINNER



If there is anything in a name "Victor," the prize horse of the Canadian National Express at Winnipeg, has proved it. Entered at a number of horse shows and fairs in Western Canada, "Victor" has scored an impressive list of triumphs in competition with the best horses of his type in the west. His record is as follows:

1926—The silver cup at the Winnipeg Horse Show. 1928—Three first at Carman Fair, June 29-July 2; Livery, mare or gelding in harness class; road class; trotters or pacers.

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Growth Has Been Rapid

Development Of Prairie Provinces Important Bearing On World Economic Situation

The growth of the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan since they were brought into being by the famous "autonomy bills" on September 1, twenty-three years ago, is a feature of the history of our times that should give unalloyed pleasure to our people and, because of its important bearing upon the world economic situation, attract the attention of students in every quarter of the globe.

When the Dominion created the two new provinces, the area affected had fewer than half a million people. The population has increased to one and a half millions, or by 200 per cent. The agriculture revenue has increased to 650,000,000 dollars yearly, and the gross agricultural wealth to three billion dollars, or to more than one-third of the total for the whole Dominion. The ratio of rural to urban population has declined bodily, but in actual numbers the rural population has increased its total.

The number of manufacturing plants and their output have multiplied by fifteen. The population classified as urban has grown almost to the half million mark.

Settlers have flocked into Canada's prairie provinces because those provinces offered better prospects of obtaining a comfortable living from the soil than was to be found in Europe and many parts of Ontario and the United States. The bringing under cultivation of new wheat lands in the west during the last twenty years has made Canada the greatest wheat exporting country in the world.

The political aspects of western development are important. The representation in the house of commons of the districts to the west of Ontario have increased in the last quarter-century from 28 to 69 seats, and is now greater than that of Quebec, the largest and longest settled province. This shifting of the balance of power has modified public opinion in regard to the tariff, public ownership and other matters to a degree that politicians have been slow to realize.

Nor are the prairie provinces near their maximum development. More of their fertile lands are unused than the portion that is being cultivated. The exploitation of mineral wealth in their northern hinterlands will add to their prosperity. The coming of those days will bring a stimulus to the well being of every part of Canada.

Remains Financial Centre

London Still Leads In Regard To Banking

Despite all reports to the contrary, London still is, and will be for some time yet, the banking centre of the world, according to Charles Cambie, manager of the London, England, branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. Mr. Cambie is very optimistic in regard to business and financial conditions in Great Britain and he is in a position to be well informed on these topics.

In referring to London as the banking centre, Mr. Cambie said that he did not mean that there was more money in England than elsewhere, but merely speaking from the banking standpoint it is the leader. Although there are many people who think that Great Britain is financially weak this is not the truth.

Will Erect Cairn Near Banff As An Historical Reminder Of The Work Of Empire Builders

Cull Potatoes For

Poultry Fattening

Results Of A Series Of Experiments Are Given

Potatoes when available make an excellent fattening feed, and when cull potatoes are fed, are a source of profit that might otherwise be lost. This is the finding after a series of experiments conducted by the Experimental Farm Poultry Division. Barred Rock and White Leghorn capons were used in the experiment, one lot each being fed cornmeal and the other lots potatoes.

It was noticeable that gains per bird were greater for the Barred Rocks, and also for the birds on corn meal. The same may be said of percentage gains per bird except that the Leghorns showed a greater percentage gain than the Barred Rocks. The same amount of feed was consumed by each of the two lots. Owing to the use of potatoes, and in spite of the fact that they constituted but one-fifth of the ration, the cost of feed per pound of gain was less in the case of the potato fed birds than the corn meal fed. This also in spite of the fact that the corn meal fed birds made slightly the greater gains.

The results of this experiment do not indicate that potatoes are superior to corn meal, except from the standpoint of economy, but it would tend to indicate that potatoes when available make an excellent fattening feed. The potato fed birds made the most attractive dressed fowl. Flavour, as judged by persons who tasted capons fattened upon both feeds, was considered to be superior in the potato fed fowl in every case.

The Poultry Division annual report which may be had on application to the Publications Branch, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, contains the results of many other experiments of interest to poultry breeders.

Not a Spanish Institution

Bull Fights In Different Form Were Common Sport In Great Britain

Bull fighting was not always a peculiarly Spanish institution. It was once a common amusement in Great Britain, in a somewhat different form. The bull was tied to a stake, after having the points of its horns padded. Fierce dogs were let loose on it, and a term battle would ensue. Buildings were built specially for the sport. Their peculiar jaws gave a grip so strong that the bull could not throw off its attackers once their teeth had met in its shoulder. Bear-baiting, too, was popular during the times of Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth. Both were fond of bear-baiting and bull-baiting. Great meat "rings," and there was one in nearly every place of amusement.

"Bankside" was a noted place for the "sport" in London. The charges for admission were a penny to enter, another penny to go in the "grandstand," and a third penny for the equivalent of reserved seats. Thursday and Sunday were the favorite days for baiting bears and bulls. At one time the theatres were ordered to close down on the former days so that competition should not interfere with the baitings.

Becoming Westernized

Afghan Social Leaders Wearing Frock Coats and Fedoras

Flowing robes have yielded to frock coats and turbans to fedoras in Afghan social and political circles since the western tour of King Amanullah, according to a dispatch from the Allahabad, India, correspondent of the Daily Mail, who recently visited Kabul.

Many bearded parliamentarians also sacrificed their facial adornments, long honored by usage, in deference to the king's reform ideas.

Canada's Sheep Industry

The output of sheep and lambs on the farms of Canada in 1927 was the highest in the previous five years, reaching over the half million mark for sheep and lambs sent to stockyards, packing houses, and direct to export trade. This is an increase of about 40,000 head over the previous year.

Growth Of Agriculture In Manitoba A statement issued by the Manitoba Department of Agriculture shows that the area in that province planted to wheat, oats, barley, rye and flax has increased 13 1/2 per cent over a year ago. The barley acreage is the highest on record.

(By Charlotte Gordon.)

In the heart of the Rocky Mountains on the Banff-Windermere road will stand an historic reminder of the work of our Empire builders, a monument to Sir George Simpson, Governor of the Hudson's Bay Company from 1821 to 1860. The fast moving autocratic ruler of the great wilderness was the first white man to cross the mountains by Simpson's Pass. As one of the earliest pathfinders, the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada deemed him worthy of a memorial.

The cairn is built on the roadside to the left, driving from Banff, and 54 miles from that mountain resort. The unveiling will take place on the 20th of September when the Governor or the Hudson's Bay Company, Charles E. Sale, of London, England will be present. His Honor Judge F. W. Howey, of New Westminster, British Columbia, will represent the Historic Sites and Monuments Board of Canada at the event. Mr. T. C. Elliott, of Walla Walla, will attend as the envoy of the Oregon and Washington Historical Societies. The arrangements for the event are being forwarded by Mr. J. C. Campbell, of the Parks Branch, and Mr. Wardie, superintendent of Rocky Mountains Park. Residents of Banff are planning to assist in making the ceremony in its wondrous mountain setting, a memorable one.

The inscription on the tablet reads: "Sir George Simpson.—In recognition of the public services of Sir George Simpson, Governor of the Hudson's Bay Company Territories (1821-1860), under whose guidance the 'Far West,' the 'Far North,' and the Arctic Coast of Canada were explored, peace with the natives was maintained, trade developed and British rule strengthened."

In August, 1841, he was the first white man to cross the Rocky Mountains by Simpson's Pass.

Erected, 1928."

It is said that Sir George Simpson left a register on a tree in Simpson's Pass, in the form of a carving of his initials and those of his guide, Mr. James Brewster, of Banff, who is familiar with the mountain districts, states that for two years he looked for this tree, when in the vicinity. He finally found it in 1912. The tree, about 16 inches in diameter, had fallen down with the blaze on the under side. "The main body of the tree was rotted through, but the blazed section had been preserved apparently by the pitch that had collected on the surface when the bark was taken off. The portion of the tree is in possession of Mr. Brewster. It bears the initials G.S. and J.B., those of the famous governor and of his guide, James Roland. The date, carved in 1841, the year in which Sir George made his famous journey around the world.

Not until 1841 when the governor journeyed through Simpson Pass do we find a southern gap in the mountains used. All early travellers used the northern passes because of the warlike Indians of the south.

Sir George Simpson, who was undoubtedly a man of vision, found time to concern himself with even the religious interests of his vast domain. Through his suggestion Dr. Robert Terrill Rundle, who arrived in Canada in 1840, was engaged in mission work in this country. Dr. Rundle is eternally commemorated in the great dark peak, Mt. Rundle, that overshadows the mountain resort of Banff, Alberta.

"What does that 'R.S.V.P.' mean on a wedding invitation?"
"Well, in some cases it seems to mean 'Requesting some valuable presents.'"

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BACK TO THE OLD GRIND

Again the school bell sounds. It sounded, or some other signal was given, for Roman school children centuries ago. The children of the present are following the law of civilization. In tender years they must be prepared for the business of life, that they may be able to pick up the burden where their elders leave off, and carry it on.

The vacation is over for the children. They had a good time while it lasted. There was fishing and bathing and rambles through the woods and camping trips through the country and mountain climbing and baseball and tennis and field games and other play. But life is not made up of such things. Some of it is grim. That is what makes schooling the order of the day.

Life never stands still. The children of the present will be the controlling, achieving citizens of later years. Hence the schools, that the needs of the future may be met, that men and women of tomorrow may be efficient, capable men and women. No youth gets very far who burns the midnight oil in an automobile.

VERMILION DORMITORY FILLED TO CAPACITY

The large \$150,000.00 Dormitory provided by the Provincial Legislature for the School of Agriculture at Vermilion is likely to be filled to capacity during the coming winter. As early as July applications were received and during August from five to ten per day have been received from students who are anxious to have a place in the splendidly equipped dormitory.

Up to September 1st, 1928 students have applied for admission. This is a month earlier than applications have been received in former years and as the great majority of the girls and boys who attend the school range in age from 16 to 24 or 25 it speaks volumes for the practical nature of the Agriculture and Household Science work that is given in the course. It looks now as though there will be about 200 students attending the Vermilion School next winter and those who intend to apply for admission had better give the matter their immediate attention.

The course is free as there are no fees. Board and room will cost \$1.00 per day for the few winter months. The school opens October 30th, which is after threshing and fall fall work is well out of the way, and the course is completed by March 28th, so that the boys and girls are home in plenty of time for spring work.

INVESTIGATION OF PARALYSIS IS CONDUCTED

Experiments now being conducted by the provincial department of health are expected to go a long way toward preventing the contraction and spread of infantile paralysis according to an announcement made on Saturday by Hon. George Hoadley minister of agriculture and health.

The experiments are with a serum derived from patients who have made a recovery from infantile paralysis, and has already been used in the treatment of those who had recently developed the disease.

If the serum is to have any value it has to be administered within 48 hours after the onset of the disease, that is before there are any indications of paralysis. There is therefore a vital necessity of obtaining medical assistance right away.

The infantile paralysis hospital in connection with the University hospital is available for treatment of ease and the minister states that the matter of research is being taken up with physicians all over the province so that the department will be notified immediately there were any symptoms of the disease. As it is contrary to provincial health regulations to transport a case of this nature, or even a suspect, on the train it is necessary to bring the suspects in by motor car. The physicians will co-operate with the department in the fullest extent in seeing that incipient cases of the disease are brought in to the hospital as quickly as possible.

We are told that the sugar beet is the only vegetable that improves with a frost. It develops more sugar content after being subject to a frost. Just goes to show what a great climate we have in Alberta.

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BIGGEST GASSER IN VIKING FIELD

The drillers at the Hudson Bay
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drilled in to the gas sands last Thurs-
day afternoon at 2.15 and brought in
what is purported to be the biggest
gas producing well in the local field.
The gas flow is estimated at 9,750,000
feet per day. Mr. Glen Ruby, man-
ager of the company, who was presen-
ted that he was very much pleased
with the results.

The object of the company was not
to get gas but to test this field for oil
producing sands and drilling is being
continued with this object in view. The
well has been capped with a Braden-
head, which permits of the gas being
utilized and drilling deeper at the
same time.

The gas production was obtained at
a depth of 2130 feet and officials pre-
sented that there were no indica-
tions of oil at this depth, but hoped
that as drilling progresses that the
oil sands would be reached. The oil
sands in the Wainwright field are ap-
proximately at the depth of the gas
sands in the Viking field, and it is the
belief of the geologists that at a deeper
level in this field that a real oil
well may be brought in.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Love were in
town last Saturday. While here Mr.
Love disposed of some honey from his
apiaries at Irma, to local merchants
which was quickly sold. The honey
was of good quality. Bee-keeping is
an industry that is fast making head-
way in Alberta as the output through-
out the province is increasing every
year and is proving a success.

A railroad contractor, sold out his
outfit at Vegreville last week, and
several from here were over to the
sale. Much of the outfit brought
high prices, due possibly to rumors
that the C. P. R. are going to pro-
ceed with the Sedgewick-Willingdon
branch. We understand that the com-
pany have negotiated for a depot site
and railway yards at Vegreville. The
survey, we hear, runs about five
miles west of Viking.

The shareholders of the Viking
Elks Community Hall Company Lim-
ited held a meeting last Friday even-
ing in the Elks Lodge rooms for the
purpose of electing officers of the
company. P. A. Main presided at the
meeting and the officers were elected
by ballot which resulted as follows:

President, W. L. Campbell.
Vice-President, Dr. G. M. Little.
Sec.-Treas. P. E. Finch.
Members of the executive, J. J.
Skalitzky, Nels Hafso, and N. C. Gra-
ham.

Considerable discussion ensued in
regard to the building of the proposed
hall. The meeting finally decided to
go ahead with the project and gave
the executive committee instructions
accordingly.

Mr. R. G. Blakey, an architect from
Edmonton, met with the committee
on Tuesday afternoon and all details
of the project were discussed. In or-
der to build a hall suitable for local
needs and come within or near the
amount subscribed was quite a prob-
lem. Nevertheless the architect gave
some tentative plans which were
roughly as follows:

Hall, approximate size, 42 x 105;
one storey frame building, basement
under stage, size 20 x 40; walls to be
supported by concrete piers and con-
crete work in between, cloak rooms
and rest rooms and kitchen in front
part of building, with lodge room
about 25 x 32, and moving picture
projection room above; club rooms
under the stage, main auditorium
42 x 60.

Mr. Blakey will complete plans and
specifications ready for the committee
to consider next week, so that tenders
may be called and the work of con-
struction gotten under way with the
least possible delay.

The hall will fill a long felt need
in this community, and it is a matter
of gratification to all concerned that
the hall is an assured fact.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hamill, of Tor-
onto, have been guests at the home of
Dr. and Mrs. G. M. Little. Mrs. Ham-
ill is a sister of Mrs. Little and will
be remembered as having visited here
two years ago.

Mrs. Darrel Woodcock, of Calgary,
arrived on Tuesday and is visiting at
the home of her mother, Mrs. M. Har-
ris, south of town.

S. R. Douglas, local cattle buyer,
together with Mr. Rogers, and family,
of Vegreville, have returned from a
motor trip through southern Alberta
and part of Montana.

The amount of wheat pool excess
profits to be distributed in this dis-
trict, we are informed, is about \$6,000.
Cheques are to be had at the local
pool elevator for pool signers.

Mrs. Thunell and two sons, Bobby
and Billy, motored to Wainwright on
Sunday and visited with Grandma and
Grandma Horton.

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WEEKLY REVIEW PROV. MARKETS

BEEF—Improvements noted in the
market at Edmonton this week. Choice
heavy steers bringing from \$3.75@
\$10.50; choice light \$7@10.50; good
\$6.25@9.75; medium from \$8.25@
\$8.75 and common from \$7@8.

FEDERS, STOCKERS—Good de-
mand continues with feeder steers go-
ing at \$7.50@9.50.

HOGS—Edmonton values declined.
They are now quoting thick smooths,
fed and watered, at \$12.50, with ac-
tively at \$13.

SHEEP—Markets at Calgary and
Edmonton continue with prices un-
changed.

CREAM—Market slightly more set-
tled now. Creameries quoting 42c for
special; 40c for first, and 37c for sec-
ond at centralizers, with country prices

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POULTRY—Demand continues ac-
tive and some traders are drawing on
what few birds they have in storage.

EGGS—Good demand continues but
offerings very hard to obtain owing
to many hens getting layed out and
also to farmers being with harvest.

POTATOES—Alberta spuds are
worth \$1 per \$100 lbs. delivered B.C.
stocks costing \$27. per ton laid down
at warehouse.

HAY—Demand only moderate as
most farmers have sufficient supplies
to last them for a time.

WOOL—Still quoting 23c to 24c
delivered. Little or nothing arriving.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Marshal Enlie Fivole, Marshal of France, and one of the great French soldiers that the war produced, died in Paris recently.

According to members of the Canadian Olympic team, much content was evidenced over the treatment accorded Canadians at Amsterdam.

What is believed to constitute a record for light aeroplane clubs has been established by the Winnipeg Flying Club, whose members have made more than 4,000 flights since the club opened on May 28 of this year.

Rear-Admiral Alfred Meyer-Waldeck, who defected from China during the World War, is known to the age of at. He was appointed governor of Germany's colony on the Shantung peninsula of China in 1911.

Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways, sailed from Quebec for Geneva to attend the League of Nations Assembly. Mr. Dunning is accompanied by Mrs. Dunning and his secretary, Miss Craig.

A \$25,000 prize for the "best and most profitable" plan to make the United States home dry was offered by W. C. Durant, millionaire automobile manufacturer and stock manipulator, in a cable statement from Europe.

Plans are being made for the erection of a million dollar paper plant in Winnipeg, according to advices received by the Manitoba Industrial Development Board. The Hines and Hunch Paper Company are said to be considering a suitable site for the factory.

Through the signing at Paris of a multilateral treaty renouncing military force as an instrument of national policy, 15 nations, representing two-thirds of the world's fighting power, have agreed never again to go to war. The rest of the world was invited to take the same pledge.

John Nolan and Robert Copeman, in their canoe "Canadian Friendship," have left Winnipeg via the Red River to continue their journey from Edmonton to the Rio Grande. The canoe trip is 6,000 miles long and the youths expect to complete their trip in time to return to Canada and spend Christmas in Edmonton.

Shaving Does Not Hurry Growth
Dr. Mildred Trotter has proved to her entire satisfaction that shaving does not increase the rate of growth of the beard. Precise measurements of beard shavings supplied by four students over a period of nine months were used in the test. She also found that hair does not grow continuously, but in short spurts, each of which is followed by a short rest.

Rural Mail Service
Rural mail services in Canada are steadily increasing. A maximum of 3,800 rural routes has now been reached, this representing an increase of about 400 compared with a year ago. The most notable development is in the Western Provinces, more demands coming from there than from other sections of the country.

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Farmers' Marketing Tour

Canadian National Railway's Tour To Great Britain and Denmark, 1928.

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Time still permitted a visit to Holyrood prior to a reception by the Lord Provost, Sir Alexander Stevenson, the City Chambers. Holyrood, built in the French style, is still used by the Royal Family. It has been the scene of many stirring events. Cromwell stationed some of his troops there before the Battle of Dunbar, in 1650, but its chief interest to us, as to most people, was its association with Mary Queen of Scots. In Mary's Audience Chamber we saw the little oratory where she used to pray. The bed, chairs and furniture are those believed to have been used by Charles I. The walls of Queen Mary's bedroom are hung with tapestry. The hangings of the bed are of crimson damask with green silk fringes and tassels, but that this was the bed used by Mary is doubted. The most interesting of Queen Mary's apartments is, of course, the little supper room, where Elizabeth, her private secretary, was set upon by conspirators who dragged him through the bedroom and the Audience Chamber to the head of the principal staircase. There they left his body bearing fifty-six wounds.

The Picture Gallery in the Palace of Holyrood contains the portraits of kings "who," says Scott, "if they ever flourished at all, lived before the invention of painting in oil colours."

During a visit to the Casuarine our party was photographed as a whole, the first and only time that this had proved possible.

The reception at the City Chambers was necessarily short, for we were due to reach Glasgow by six o'clock the same evening, but we shall never forget the cordiality of the welcome we received, or the high fashion in which the dignity of a cultured city was blended with the heartiest of hospitality.

Our earliest scheduled appointment was kept on our first morning in Glasgow when we breakfasted with the officers of the United Co-operative Housing Society at their plant, where the President, Mr. Alexander Buchanan welcomed us. Our trip through the hazy mists of a fall of interest. In one department we saw the bakins of one day's supply of the 400,000 loaves that are baked weekly. In another, wonderful machinery tended by nearly untrained girls, obviously happy in their work, were turning out loaves at an extraordinary rate. Over 40,000 tins of biscuits are baked in one week. Trays and boards of pastries and shortbreads. Over 100 vans are in daily use. The Society is truly co-operative, the very factories having been built by the Society's own maintenance staff. The United Co-operative Baking Society exports its co-operative articles and its annual output is worth over \$3,000,000. The baking plant is the largest in Europe if not in the world.

We next visited the Sheddall works of the Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society, which represent the co-operative idea carried into the realm of industry and its application to the purchase, distribution and even manufacture of goods for the benefit of a number of individuals working together in their mutual interest. The Scottish Co-operative Wholesale Society came into existence in 1868 through the federation of retail co-operative societies. Its initial capital was \$5,000. Its capital today is \$4,000,000, and its annual sales total \$80,000,000. The Sheddall Works through which we passed were devoted to the manufacture of clothing, furniture, boots and shoes. We also visited the printing establishment, where we saw the latest type of two-colour printing machine which prints in two colours in one operation.

Forty-eight factories are operated by this great Society, and it was especially interesting to us to learn that it possesses 2,140 acres of farm lands. As is well known the Society maintains an office in Winnipeg and elevators in Western Canada and it was our pleasure to meet the Canadian Manager of the Company, Mr. John Fisher, in the Sheddall Dining Room, where we were entertained to a delightful luncheon under the cordial presidency of Mr. R. Stewart, chairman of the Society.

A full day was completed by a meeting with the representatives of the wholesale fruit, provision, grain and flour trades in Glasgow. Once more we were treated to the outpouring, business-like talk which we had come to expect when dealing with leading business figures during our tour. This particular session was perhaps the most productive of any that we had attended.

Our next day's programme had been anticipated with more than ordinary interest for we were to visit the world's leading Clydesdale stud, probably the two most famous Ayrshire herds in existence and the wonderful Doonholm herd of Aberdeen-Angus cattle; and in addition, Burns' cottage and the Brig o' Doon.

First we went to Craigie Main, Kilmarnock, where Mr. James Kilpatrick famed not only as a great breeder of Clydesdales but as host, showed us the finest horses in his stud, surely never were nobler specimens of the Clydesdale breed ever brought together. As one beautiful animal was succeeded by another, we became lost in admiration for the truly aristocratic breeding and the high individuality shown by the stud. Such horses as "Craigie Es-

PAYS TRIBUTE TO FALLEN COMRADES



As Britain observed the 14th anniversary of her entry into the great war, some 11,000 British ex-service men paid their tribute to their fallen comrades in a great memorial pilgrimage to the battlefields of France and Flanders. Among the pilgrims as a soldier rejoining his old comrades was the Prince of Wales. Above, his royal highness is seen at Bethune, walking with the mayor.

cellence." Cawdor Cup, and Dryden shield winner, and six times first at the Scottish Stallion show; "Craigie Ambition," first and reserve at the Royal, High art, and Scottish Stallion Show; "Craigie Esquale," first and Cawdor Cup, Scottish Stallion Show; "Craigie Wainwright," probably the best cut in the stud, and many others were seen, including several from Mr. Kilpatrick's great breeding sire, "Craigie McDougal," whose progeny stands so high in Scottish show ring times today.

But a few hundred yards from the Kilpatrick home, where we were most hospitably entertained, are the ruins of an ancient castle, the stronghold on a hill of the great William Wallace. Close by a monument marks a spot called Burnwell, from which tradition says Wallace looked back to watch the burning of the barns in which he had barred English soldiers after a number of his followers had been treacherously slaughtered. Standing at this spot Wallace said: "The barns of Ayr burn well." Hence the persistence of the name, Burnwell.

(To Be Continued.)

Curing a Scold

Drastic Treatment Used By Our Ancestors For Bad Cases.

Our ancestors were severe on the woman scold, and the penalties meted out to her were drastic. One known as the brand, was a sugar loaf shaped fixture for the head constructed of iron hoops, with a cross at the top. A flat piece of iron projected forward, which was placed on the woman's tongue. She was then led about the street wearing this unique headgear. If this did not cure her, there was the ducking stool. Plastered in this she was swung over a pond and immersed in the water, the operation being repeated "as often as the virulence of the distemper required."

BRITISH VISITORS TO CANADA



Lord Lovat, under-secretary of state for the Dominions, photographed on board the "Empress of Scotland" en route to Canada with Sir Howard D'Egville, honorary secretary of the Empire Parliamentary Association, and Col. H. W. Cole, principal of the Empire Parliamentary Board. From left to right: Sir Howard D'Egville, Lord Lovat, and Col. Cole.

Banks Prepare To Finance Canada's Crop

Fifty Million Dollars More Required This Year

S. H. Logan, general manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, stated at Toronto, that the preparations of the banks for financing the western crop this year have been on a larger scale than ever before, in order to provide for bringing the crop to market at the proper time and to ensure that the farmers are paid promptly.

"If the present promise of 500,000,000 bushels of wheat is fulfilled, the banks will be called upon to finance to an extent of between forty and fifty million dollars more than last season," Mr. Logan said.

Mr. Logan said several hundred million of dollars are required to finance Canada's enormous wheat crop. The banks in Canada finance in one form or another a season's crop in the aggregate, including the turnover of all such loans, to an extent of several hundred millions of dollars, of which probably a hundred million is loaned in the first instance direct to the western farmer for the payment of hired help labor throughout the season, hail insurance premiums, the purchase of seed, agricultural implements and binder twine, and for general harvest and threshing expenses.

The movement of the wheat crop, estimated this year at about half a million bushels, involves one of the world's greatest and most important marketing systems. Between now and the end of the year, sixty to seventy-five per cent. of the total crop will be delivered by the farmers to more than 4,000 country elevators, and at 2,000 loading platforms, and will move to the head of the lakes, there to be sold immediately for export or to be placed in terminal elevators that comprise the largest storage capacity at any one point on the globe. As many as 3,000 cars per day will be inspected by government officials at Winnipeg.

Scientific Stations In Arctic

Would Make Exploration Practically Safe, Say Soviet Scientists

Soviet scientists are pushing the project of establishing a series of permanent scientific stations in the Arctic regions.

The scheme, as outlined in Moscow, contemplates the formation of an International Aero-Arctic Society, financed by all the nations bordering on the Arctic, to carry on this work. In a signed article published in a local newspaper, the prominent academician, Prof. A. N. Feraman, said that until permanent stations are established at Spitzbergen, Nova Zembla, Franz Josef Land and other points, Arctic exploration will involve tragedies such as followed Gen. Umberto Nobile's efforts.

Will Sign Treaty Twice

Ireland Has Two Signatures On War Renunciation Document

Ireland, smallest of the nations originally adhering to the war renunciation treaty, will have two signatures on that document.

President Cosgrave will sign for the Irish Free State, and Lord Cushendun, acting head of the British Foreign Office, for Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

Cushendun's signature will stand for all divisions of the Empire not signing as individual states. His signature for Northern Ireland will be in behalf of a population of one and a quarter million and his separate signature for the King as Emperor of India, will be in representation of three hundred millions.

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Of course, the parents of these boys had the money to pay for the experiment, and finding the money is always the rub. But could it be out of the question for the provincial government to offer a half-dozen Quebec scholarships each summer to Alberta high school boys and girls who had demonstrated their worth in class? French is an important curriculum subject, a great living language, and by law on a parity with English in federal matters. What is the department of education doing to make it vital, to English-speaking scholars in Alberta?—Edmonton Journal.

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CONCLUSION

At Arthur Warner's bungalow the flowers were blooming. Hollyhocks stood straight and tall against the house, with their quaint, old-fashioned rosettes in prim rows on the stalks, crimson and cream and white. Arthur had planted them, but had not seen the bloom. The walk from the house was bordered with round clumps of dwarf nasturtiums, orange and red, alternating with mounds of sweet alyssum and candytuft, white as snow, and at their feet in a straight line, marking the edge of the gravel path, ran a line of ground lobelia as blue as the skies above.

On one side of the walk stood a rocky outcrop of stones from the river, which Helmi had whitewashed, and from which now grew trailing nasturtiums, in all the shades from creamy pink to scarlet and crimson, peeping out from their glossy green leaves. On the other side was a rustic bench made gay with cushions, where one could sit and think and dream, watching the changing lights upon the mountains.

Here sat Helmi, thinking and dreaming, this Saturday afternoon in late August. Her family had all gone to Eagle Mines—Rose and Danny Corbett who were spending the holidays with her; old Sim and young Lili, the latter now an enquiring young lady of two and a half years. The teacher, too, who boarded at the bungalow had gone with them.

Twice a week Helmi sent to town a load of vegetables and fresh fish from the English River, and steadily her savings in the bank were increasing. It seemed a long time since she had climbed into the old buckboard with Lili on her knee, Cleo close beside her, and the pups in a box behind, and canvassed the neighborhood to see where she could get a cow "on terms to suit purchaser." She had been successful in her quest, and brought the cow home with her; the terms being that she do the weekly washing for the numerous and increasing Peterson family, three miles away.

Helmi thought of her neighbors now with real affection. They had all befriended her, and she was glad that Arthur Warner had learned to know them better. Helmi had told them quite frankly all she knew of him, and when his letters came she made no secret of them. When she made the suggestion that weekly meetings should be held at his house, where knitting and sewing could be done for the soldiers, the women gladly came, and a new spirit of friendliness came to the settlement. Every week a letter was written to him, and parcels sent, and so it came about that, though thousands of miles intervened, Arthur Warner had come to know his neighbors and they him.

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Read This Letter from a
Grateful Woman

Vanessa, Ont.—"I think Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is wonderful. I had six children of which four are living. The youngest is a bonnie baby boy now eight months old who weighs 23 pounds. I have taken your medicine before each of them was born and have certainly received great benefit from it. I urge my friends to take it as I am sure they will receive the same help I did."—MRS. MILTON MC-MULLEN, Vanessa, Ontario.

W. N. U. 1749

church there is a well appointed dining-room, where the boys and girls' chins often meet for supper parties. The bungalow is a club-house for the miners and their wives, and on the lawn there is a simple white stone with an inscription which reads:—

"Sacred to the Memory
of

ARTHUR WARNER,
who made the first settlement
in this valley, and who loved its
solitude and beauty.

In 1914
he answered the call of his
country:

On January 25th, 1917

while escaping from a German prison camp, he deliberately gave his own life to purchase freedom for his companion, who now erects this stone in the hope that as long as grass grows in the valley, and water runs in the English River, the memory of ARTHUR WARNER may not fade.

THE END

SAVE THE CHILDREN

In Summer When Childhood Ailments Are Most Dangerous Mothers who keep a box of Baby's Own Tablets in the house may feel that the lives of their little ones are reasonably safe during the hot weather.

Stomach troubles, cholera infantum and diarrhoea carry off thousands of little ones every summer. In most cases because the mother does not have a safe medicine at hand to give promptly. Baby's Own Tablets relieve these troubles, or if given occasionally to the well child they will prevent their coming on. The Tablets are guaranteed to be absolutely harmless even to the new-born babe. They are especially good in summer because they regulate the bowels and keep the stomach sweet and pure. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

New Serial Story

Commencing with next issue we will offer our readers a new serial story, "The Crimson West," by Alex. Philip. As might be imagined, the story deals with life in Western Canada, the plot being laid in British Columbia. It is full of life and action, and should have a particular appeal to the lovers of out-doors and to Western Canada readers generally. The story is dedicated by the author to those fortunate who first saw the light of day in this glorious country and with whom rests the future prosperity of the land of their birth—the native sons of Canada. Do not miss the opening chapters appearing next week.

"Autoist—Say! Do you know anything about an automobile?"
Wise Man—Sure! That's why I am riding the street cars.

A big heart and a big pocket-book seldom travel far together.

What Will you do



When your Children Cry for It

There is hardly a household that has not heard of Castoria. At least a million homes are never without it. If there are children in your family, there's almost daily need of its comfort. And any night may find you very thankful there's a bottle in the house. Just a few drops, and that colic or constipation is relieved; the diarrhoea checked. A vegetable purgative, a baby remedy meant for young folks, Castoria is about the only thing you have ever heard doctors advise giving to infants. Stronger medicines are dangerous to a tiny baby, however harmless they may be to grown-ups. Good old Castoria! Remember the name, and remember to buy it. It may spare you a sleepless, anxious night. It is always ready always safe to use; in emergencies, or for everyday ailments. Any hour of the day or night that Baby becomes fretful, or restless, Castoria was never more popular with mothers than it is today. Every druggist has it.

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THE BICUSPIDS

"Count 'em"—two in line back of each cuspid, making eight all told. "Bi-two-cuspid"—tooth with one point, or "cuspid"—so this, then, is a two-cuspid tooth. (You have doubtless observed, however, that the inner cusps of the lower teeth is not rudimentary—a modified form of the original full cuspid). Then, they are also called pre-molars. Again, our Latin—"pre," meaning "before"—you see why?

This tooth erupts generally from the tenth to the twelfth years, and is highly chiefly utilitarian, yet it serves a cosmetic function as well—to prove this save up your best joke and tell it to your neighbor—then sitly observe the open space marking a missing bi-cuspid which you had probably not noticed before.

Now, there is a danger peculiar to this bi-cuspid which is this. This tooth lies in a position just below the "antrum," or air sinus that is situated in the large facial bone, the upper jaw, and frequently a thin shell of bone forming the floor of the antrum, separates the latter from the roots of the teeth. Should, then, decay proceed so far in this tooth as to infect the pulp, causing it to die, with a resultant abscess—it occasionally happens that pus will burrow into the antrum, infecting it and with dire consequences. Generally necessitating an operation at the hands of the surgeon.

Tell your dentist that you want your teeth kept well, not just made well. The responsibility is then his.

Little Helps For This Week

"But now abideth faith, hope, love, these three; and the greatest of these is love."—1 Cor. xiii. 13 (R.V.)

More love, dear Lord, more faith! Take all these doubts away; Oh let the simple words "He saith" Confirm my faith each day.

More hope, dear Lord, more hope! To conquer time and fear, To cheer life's path as on I grope, Till Heaven's own light appear.

More love, dear Lord, more love! Such as on earth was Thine—All thy loves and all gifts above, Unselfish love be mine.

—Elizabeth C. Kinney.
Hope is the mainspring of human action; Faith seals, our lease of immortality; and Charity and Love give the passport to the soul's true and lasting happiness.—Street.

Hospital In Far North

Red Cross Outpost Visited By Edmonton Board Of Trade

The Red Cross Outpost Hospital at Pouce Coupe was a busy place one day recently. It was visited by members of the Edmonton Board of Trade, who were touring the Peace River country. Every hole and corner of the building was visited, and questions innumerable answered. Surprise was expressed by several at finding a well-equipped and excellent staffed hospital so far north.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many a baby has been spared them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Expeller, an excellent remedy.

The Porcupine Gold Area

The Porcupine gold-area in the District of Cochrane, northern Ontario, occupies first rank among the gold producing areas in Canada.

Why suffer from corns when they can be painlessly rooted out by using Holloway's Corn Remover.

Training classes are held for young firemen. They have to learn not to take offence, when the instructor tells them to go to blazes.

Athletes—Keep Minard's Liniment handy.

British Industries Fair

To Be Held At Birmingham, England, February 18 to March 31, 1929

The attention of Canadian Manufacturers is directed to the British Industries Fair, Birmingham, Eng., 1929, where the Canadian Government has contracted for 2,800 square feet of space. It is hoped that Canadian manufacturers will be well represented at this forthcoming fair, and with a view to furnishing detailed information, advance circulars are being forwarded both to the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, Toronto and the Department of Trade and Commerce, Ottawa.

The tenth fair will be held from February 18 to March 31, 1929, in the permanent and considerably enlarged exhibition building at Castle Bromwich, which with a total floor space of 400,000 square feet forms the largest exhibition hall in the United Kingdom. The venue of the fair is the centre of a great industrial area and is most conveniently situated for displaying general manufactured goods.

In connection with above, the Canadian Pacific Railway offers prospective exhibitors and buyers ten convenient sailings from Canada's national winter port, Saint John, N.B. Dates of sailing as follows:

Feb. 1, S.S. Minnedosa, Liverpool via Glasgow; Feb. 8, S.S. Metagama, Liverpool via Glasgow and Belfast; Feb. 15, S.S. Montclair, Liverpool via Glasgow; Feb. 21, S.S. Melita, Southampton via Cherbourg; Feb. 22, S.S. Montrose, Liverpool via Belfast and Glasgow; Mar. 1, S.S. Minnedosa, Liverpool via Glasgow; Mar. 8, S.S. Montclair, Liverpool via Belfast and Glasgow; Mar. 14, S.S. Duchess of Bedford, Liverpool; Mar. 14, S.S. Metagama, Southampton via Cherbourg; Mar. 15, S.S. Montclair, Liverpool via Glasgow.

Excellent accommodation is available on all these cabin class ships at winter rates, which are considerably lower than during the heavy season. Attractive rail fares are available from all points in connection with ocean passage.

The Canadian Pacific Railway Co. will be glad to arrange accommodation for those planning to attend the Birmingham Fair. Requests through any C.P.R. agent will receive courteous and prompt attention.



NURSES know, and doctors have declared there's nothing quite like Aspirin to relieve all sorts of aches and pains, but be sure it is Aspirin the name Bayer should be on the package, and on every tablet. Bayer is genuine, and the word genuine—in red—is on every box. You can't go wrong if you will just look at the box:



Farmers Buy Many Radios

Demand For Receiving Sets Has Now Reached Large Proportions

The radio has revolutionized conditions in the outlying parts of Canada, and the demand for receiving sets and accessories has grown to large figures. Canadian production last year reached a total of \$5,789,171, an increase of nearly \$2,500,000 over the previous year.

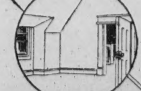
Prosperity on the farms of Western Canada, where radio reception is particularly good owing to the absence of all forms of interference, accounts largely for the rapid increase in Canadian radio production.

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Good News for The Whole Family

Our Fall circular will be in every home within the next few days. Watch for it.

Grocery Specials

5 lb. Tin Amber Brand Coffee, \$2.85 Tin
Pork & Beans in Tomato Sauce, 8 Tins \$1.00
Mixed Jam, Per Tin 50c
Jelly Powders 4 Pkgs. 25c
Pure Jams, Bramble Jelly & Peach, 4 lb. Tin 65c
Raisins Special Seedless, 7 lbs. \$1.00

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WILL BE IN IRMA ON and AFTER SEPT 13th
IN DR. COURSIER'S OFFICE

A SCOURGE OF CHILDREN

During the months from May to November there is a "Terror that walks by night," a whisper of whose presence makes parents tremble. This dreaded thing is Acute Poliomyelitis—Infantile Paralysis.

Infantile Paralysis is a germ disease. It occurs most often in the months May to November, and most often among children, though adults are not by any means immune. The disease affects all races, all classes, and all parts of the world, but is more prevalent in the colder climates. The robust child falls a victim as readily as the delicate child.

During an epidemic, rural communities suffer more than cities.

Infantile Paralysis in its beginning resembles many other contagious diseases. A child that has been perfectly well will become restless and drowsy. He is irritable, and does not want to be moved. There may be vomiting or diarrhoea, but constipation is the rule. There may be headache, pains in the muscles, or a convulsion. The child is feverish. That may be all that appears, and yet within one or two days, the child may be unable to move arms or legs.

If a child appears to have fever, vomiting and marked restlessness, put him to bed, and call a doctor promptly. No matter how mild the sickness may seem, get a doctor. While waiting, give a dose of Castor Oil. Keep other children away.

If there is an epidemic, keep your children away from crowds, from movies, theatres, dances, etc. Keep them from homes where there is sickness. Keep the house clean, using plenty of soap and water. Burn rubbish. Garbage buckets should be tightly covered, and cleaned daily. Keep out flies and other insects. Let in fresh air and sunlight—they are Nature's killer of germs.

Further information may be had from Canadian Red Cross Society, 407 Civic Block, Edmonton, Alta.

START TODAY

To economize on the time spent in complaining.

To mix a little more charity with your judgments.

To spend more time getting the other fellow's viewpoint.

To depend more upon yourself and less upon others.

To look for good in the most unpromising people.

To do these things and see how soon life grows sweeter.

CANADA'S AGE CALENDAR

Canada is 61 years old, dated from Confederation.

Canada is 169 years old, dated from the British conquest of 1759.

Canada is 394 years old, dated from Cartier's first visit of 1534.

Quebec City is 320 years old.

Montreal is 286 years old.

Halifax is 180 years old.

Toronto is 135 years old.

Victoria is 84 years old.

Winnipeg is 62 years old.

Vancouver is 48 years old.

Hudson's Bay Co. is 258 years old.

A local fellow wandered into the millinery department of a store last week and seeing a fine hat he thought he would buy it for his best girl, and asked the clerk the price. "I'm very sorry, sir," the clerk replied, "but that hat is a lamp shade."

"And what should a polite little boy say when a lady gives him a penny for carrying home her parcels?" asked an old lady of an urchin here who had accommodated her. "I'm too polite to tell you ma'am," he replied.

Main Street

Mrs. John Jack has been spending a few days in Edmonton. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Molton, on Wednesday, September 1st, a son, Mr. Geo. Higginson has started the erection of a residence on Third Avenue west of the United Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McFarland motored to Edmonton the first of the week.

Mr. C. T. Hill is around again after being laid up nearly two weeks from the effects of a hemorrhage.

Mrs. Bruce Osterout and children have gone to Vancouver to join Mr. Osterhout who left for the coast some time ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Goodale of Edmonton motored to Irma Sunday to visit their daughter Miss H. L. Goodale, of Liden's Limited.

While getting ready to thresh last week Mr. G. W. Mitchell of Strawberry Plains had a slight stroke. Mr. Mitchell is able to be around again but will probably be unable to do any heavy work for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fenton of Irma announce the engagement of their second daughter, Inez Margaret, to Ralph Hartly Dunlop, of Indian Head, Sask. The wedding to take place early in October.

Mr. George Reed of Tulsa, Oklahoma, arrived in Irma two weeks ago to help Mrs. Chas. Reed with the threshing and renew acquaintances in the Irma district. On Thursday of last week while helping start the tractor Mr. Reed met with an accident when the engine backfired breaking his right arm.

Messrs. Carbol and White, are busy building a new garage on the east side of Main Street, which they expect will be ready for opening about October 1st. Mr. Carbol is from Edmonton and Mr. White from Amisk, Alta., where they have both been engaged in the automobile repair business and they will no doubt be kept busy in their new location as soon as they are ready to open up.

Threshing is on in full swing in all parts of the Irma district. In many cases the late grain is not yielding as good as last year which trouble can be attributed to the early frost. Some of the wheat that was ripe when the frost struck it is grading No. 2 and yielding from 30 to 35 bushels per acre but there will be more that will grade three and four and the average yield will probably be from 20 to 25 bushels. The swather has been ideal for both harvesting and threshing and with a few more weeks of good weather the 1928 crop will be disposed of in a record time.

DRIVERS SAFETY CLUB

There has been quite a campaign during the past summer to have kids safety clubs organized, in order that the kids would take more precautions while crossing streets and highways. It seems to us from the many reports appearing in the press of accidents due to careless driving where youngsters have been killed or maimed for life, that the place to start a safety first club is with the drivers.

NEWS ITEMS FROM KINSELLA

Miss Evelyn Corbett returned home on Sunday from Banff where she has been for the past two weeks.

Miss Isabel Stronach is attending school in Edmonton taking grade XII. Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Williams and family motored to Edmonton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Neal and daughter spent Sunday at Vermilion.

Mr. William Anderson left Sunday evening for Battleford, Sask., where he expects to be for the next two weeks looking after some work for the Jamieson Construction Co.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Jones and family of Irma took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Eaton on Sunday.

Mrs. William Anderson is spending the week in Edmonton.

Mr. Corbett and daughter Evelyn and Mr. and Mrs. Neace spent the week end in Edmonton.

Mr. Roy Alton of Stony Plain and Miss Torgerson, the Misses Marian and Edith Watson, Mr. Watson, Jr. and Miss MacDonald of Kinsella spent Sunday afternoon at Wainwright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross McFarland and family of Irma called on Mr. and Mrs. Eaton Sunday on their way to Edmonton.

Threshing is the order of the day around here now.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Saunders and son Ross and daughter Lillie of Irma spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Eaton. Miss Thelma Miller left last Thursday evening for the States where she has gone to attend school.

The steam shovel arrived back in the Gravel Pit on Monday evening. They expect to be here for about ten days or two weeks.

The Jamieson Construction Co., have about 40 cars to load with gravel.

The Wastebasket

"Just fancy," said a local lady to her husband, "In a few years we will be able to fly to Edmonton in half an hour." "That won't help things any," he growled. "Why not?" she asked. "Because you will need two hours to get ready," he replied.

"I wish you would run across the street and see how old Mrs. is?" said a lady here to her little son. He came running back in a moment and reported: "Mrs. says it is none of your business how old she is."

Heard on the street: "You can trust him; he is as honest as the day is long." "Yes, but have you noticed how much shorter the days are getting now?"

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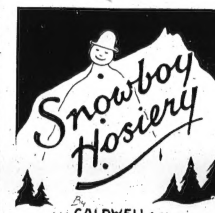
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